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SUBJECT: MATMON C IN THE PRESS

1. FRONT PAGE OF JERUSALEM POST OF JULY 27
HEADLINED, "U.S. ENDS DELAY ON MATMON C ARMS TALKS."
ARTICLE, FILED BY WOLF BLITZER FROM WASHINGTON, SAYS
THAT U.S. HAS FINALLY EXPRESSED A READINESS TO RENEW
THE MATMON C ARMS TALKS WITH ISRAEL AND THAT MINISTER
WEIZMAN IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON SOMETIME
IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

2. ARTICLE REVIEWS THE HISTORY OF MATMON C AND
THE POSTPONEMENT CAUSED BY THE TERRORIST INCIDENT
IN MARCH. IT SAYS THAT "DURING THE PAST FEW DAYS
WEIZMAN WAS INFORMED THAT HE WAS WELCOMED IN
WASHINGTON IN AUGUST." ARTICLE CONCLUDES BY SAYING
THAT U.S. HAS ASKED ISRAEL TO BREAK DOWN THE
LIST INTO PRIORITY CATEGORIES - A PROCESS THAT ISRAEL
IS SAID TO HAVE NEARLY COMPLETED.

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3. BLITZER'S REPORTED SOURCES ARE IN WASHINGTON.
WE HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY CONTACT WITH WEIZMAN
CONCERNING THE RENEWAL OF TALKS. WOULD APPRECIATE
DEPARTMENT'S AND DOD'S COMMENTS ON THE ARTICLE AS WELL AS
INFORMATION ON ANY SIGNALS WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN GIVEN
TO ISRAELI EMBASSY CONCERNING RENEWAL OF THE TALKS.

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